I DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT IN

ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS

OF 23 CFR (35.411 (2)(2) THAT THESE

PATENTED OR PROPRIETARY ITEMS

ARE ESSENTIAL FOR SYNGRONIZATION

DATE:

August 6, 2012

TO:

Chad Zickefoose

Atten: Design Standards

APPROVED: 1 Cothy Hawry 8-10-12

Kathy Hangy State Design Engineer

FROM:

City of Joplin Engineering Department

SUBJECT:

Tornado Damaged Signal and Lighting Repair

Joplin Missouri ER-3212(701)

Public Interest Finding

Greetings:

In reference to the above mentioned project, we request approval of a finding in the public interest to use the following proprietary items to replace Tornado Damaged, Signal and Lighting items, destroyed by the Tornado.

WITH EXISTING

Street Lighting: Valmont Structures (lighting poles) and Cooper Lighting Fixtures at two locations (St. John's Blvd. and Sunset Street) match existing Street Lighting that was not destroyed by the tornado. Street Lights on 17th Street were completely destroyed, and could be replaced with equal poles and fixtures using City Specifications, however, would require additional items and likely higher cost.

All new signal equipment uses the Joplin City Signal Standards, approved 11/2007. Any different equipment will be contrary to the City's policy and would cause non-uniform equipment in our existing system.

Your approval of is requested.

Sincerely

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